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Submission deadline is the 20th of the month for event announcements, articles, and artwork. Officers reports are due at officer's meeting.

from the knight marshall

Good gentles,

This Sunday, January 15th, Unser Hafen fighter practice will be returning after it's long winter nap. As usual, practice will be at 2 at the CSU field house. I regret to inform you, however, that now that spring semester is upon us, we have, once again, had trouble scheduling the field house for the same time every Sunday. Here is the schedule of time for the rest of our indoor season:

Apr 2 2-5
9 2-5
23 2-5
30 2-5

In service,

Lord Thorvaldr inn Kristni Olafsson
Knight Marshal, Unser Hafen

from the chronicler

Our fair Barony has a long and rich history. On the following three pages are some glimpses of our good Baron from my photo collection of events from many years back. Many such gentles appear in the photo collections of the current and past members of the Barony (or Shire if you go back that far).

Please submit your photos to be printed. And please encourage others to subscribe to the Tosspot and to submit their creative tidbits to be printed.

In Service,
Robin of Bristol

Minamoto no Akiranaga San

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Vicar of Unser Hafen
Minamoto no Akiranaga San

(aka Sir Alexander, Current Baron of Unser Hafen)

from the seneschal of bofharrach:

Greetings unto our noble populaces (populi?) of the Canton, the College and the Barony; it is my honor to send my first missive to our great peoples.

Once more we come to the season where we find out that there is more to being a Hero then the strength of one's sword arm; it comes time again for Luck of Heroes. By the time these present letters reach you our leather punching parties will have been concluded. But that doesn't mean that there is nothing else to volunteer to do if the urge so strikes you; Mistress Teresa and her crew will need assistance in the kitchen and with serving for one, as will the Gaming Crew for both the physical events during the day and the gaming events during the evening.

In addition, if you are more possessed of excess items rather than excess time, there will be a silent auction in order to benefit the Mistress Aileen Bardon War Memorial Scholarship Fund (the Baronial travel/site-fee/membership fund) that is being run by milady Elizabeth de Holcombe; if you are interested in donating something for this most worthy cause please contact her.

And thirdly we are once more nearing the Demo season in our various groups, and May - September look to be no less exciting this year then they were last. If you are interested in helping out the Barony, the College and the Canton in recruiting and increasing our numbers please get in contact with our Hospitalers (Hospital-i?) and they can appraise you of the situation.

I look forward to many years of working with all of you and I remain,

Yours in Service,

Saito Takauji
Seneschal of Bofharrach

calendar notes

bofharrach calendar:

2nd Tuesdays of the month: Officer's meeting at Lord Donnchadh's and Lady Theresa's, 7:00. 1227 8th Street; Greeley, CO 80631. Public is welcome. Garb is not required. Bring munchies!

fighter practice, baronial gathering, and baron's whim tourney

Join us on the 1st Sunday of every month for heavy and light fighting,, marshall arts class, Baron's whim tourney, announcements and/or brief court, then we all go out to eat! Garb encouraged
CSU Fieldhouse 2-5 PM

List of Events

April 1
Sworded Affaire (Faontaine) Mariah 505-334-1955
April 8
Kingdom A&S (Windkeep) Marguerite 307-214-8093
April 15
Luck of Heroes (Unser Hafen) Nicholas 720-841-6947
May 5-15
SCA 40th Year (Kingdom of An Tir) Sineidin www.40yearcelebration.com
May 13-14
Outlands Coronation (Caer Galen) Massimiliano 303-666-6885
May 18-21
Quest for Camelot (Kingdom of Northshield) Alexander 605-343-2444
May 24-29
Grand Outlandish XVIII (al-Barran) Rhianwen 505-263-4887
May 26-29
CrossRoads VII (Hawks Hollow) Stasia 303-424-5577

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sunday	monday	tuesday	wednes
2 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	3 Dance Practice 7-9:00pm CSU Lory Student Center	4 Movie Nightat CSU "Beaowulf & Grendel"	BF Practice 6:30-9 PM Shawsheen Ele
9 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	10	11 BF Officer's Meeting Movie Nightat CSU "Robin Hood" 1938	BF Practice 6:30-9 PM Shawsheen Ele
16 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	17 Tosspot Articles Due Dance Practice 7-9:00pm CSU Lory Student Center	18 Movie Night at CSU "Merlin"	BF Practice 6:30-9 PM Shawsheen Ele
23/30 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	24	25 Movie Night at CSU "A Knight's Tale"	BF Practice 6:30-9 PM Shawsheen Ele

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5 ementary	6 Populace Meeting 7-10 pm M.R.S. Clubhouse	7	8
12 ementary	13	14	15 Luck of Heroes
19 ementary	20 Officers Meeting at Wellmark Keep 7-10 pm	21	22
26 ementary	27	28	29

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	1	2	3 BF Gather	4 Populace Meeting	5 40th Celeb.	6 40th Celeb.
7 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	8 40th Celeb.	9 40th Celeb.	10 40th Celeb. BF Gather	11 40th Celeb.	12 40th Celeb.	13 40th Celeb.
14 40th Celeb. Fighter/ Fencing P	15 40th Celeb.	16 BF Office	17 BF Gather	18 officers meeting	19	20 Quest for Camelot
21 Fighter/ Fencing P	22	23	24 BF Gather	25	26	27 Grand Outlandish
28 Fighter/ Fencing P	29	30	31 BF Gather			

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				1 Populace Meeting	2	3 Champions
4 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	5	6	7 BF Gather	8	9	10 A&S Col.
11 Fighter/ Fencing P	12	13 BF Office	14 BF Gather	15 Officers meeting	16	17 Talons of Fury
18 Fighter/ Fencing P	19	20	21 BF Gather	22	23	24 Champions. Wardens. Banner.
25 Fighter/ Fencing P	26	27	28 BF Gather	29	30	

Please report any schedule changes or mistakes to the Chronicler, Lord Robin (gandalf@fcac.com)

Kingdom Arts & Sciences Competition

April 8, 2006
Shire of Windkeep

Site: Laramie County Community College, Student Center
Located at 1400 East College Drive in Cheyenne, WY 82007

Autocrat: THL Marguerite Dinard (Tonda Pratt) (307)214-8093
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Participants: Pre-registration is required. Last day to register is March 24. It can be done online (preferred) by clicking here, or by phoning the Kingdom A & S Minister. Entrant information required includes: Artisan SCA name, Artisan Mundane name, Artisan email (if available), Artisan phone number (if no email), and name of entry including description. All entrants must check in on site no later than 10AM. However, judging will be permitted to start as soon as both judge and entrant are ready.

Fees: Site fee is $10 for adults, $5 for children 6-12, children 5 and under are free. There is a $3 non-member surcharge for all adult non-members. Make checks payable to SCA-Windkeep.

Lunch will be provided by the Windkeep Cook's Guild and is included in the site fee.

Site Restrictions: Site opens at 9AM and closes at 8PM. No pets allowed. Site is absolutely DRY.

Directions:

From the South: Take your best route to I-25. Drive North to Wyoming. Take exit 7 (College Drive exit) East approximately 3 miles to the LCCC Campus on the left. Take the first campus road around to the back side of the row of buildings. Signs will be posted.

From the North: Drive south on I-25 to exit 7 (College Drive exit) East approximately 3 miles to the LCCC Campus on the left. Take the first campus road around to the back side of the row of buildings. Signs will be posted.

From the West: Take I-80 East to Exit 363 (College Drive) and turn south on College. Go approximately 1 mile and LCCC will be on your right. Take the first exit on to campus and go around to the back of the row of buildings. Signs will be posted.

From the East: Take I-80 to Exit 363 (College Drive) and turn South on College. Go approximately 1 mile and LCCC will be on your right. Take the first exit on to campus and go around to the back of the row of buildings. Signs will be posted.

luck of heroes

Saturday, April 15, 2006 ~ 10am-9pm
Barony of Unser Hafen
Site Fee: Adult Members $7.00, All Non Members add $3.00
Kids (ages 6-17) $4.00, Kids under 6 are free
Feast Fee: $5.00 (kids under 6 are free)
site is dry

The great Barony of Unser Hafen proudly presents, Luck of Heroes II, being hosted at:

Summitview Community Church.
1601 W.Drake Road. Fort Collins, CO.

Luck of Heroes! Come test your skills and your luck to see period gaming at it's finest! There is plenty of space at this event that we can use no matter what the weather throws at us.
We also have a delicious donation lunch and feast offered...see menu for yummie details! So come one, come all, and see who will be the gaming champion!

Menu:

Donation Lunch: Hotch Potch with Spinach
Ale & Vegetable Soup
Bread and other assorted goodies

Feast: Corned Beef & Cabbage
Cock-a-Leekie with Barley
Cheese Pudding
Minted Peas
Soda bread
Potato Bread
Oatcakes
Shortbread
Lemon Curd and Vanilla Cheesecake
Guinness Pudding with Whiskey Sauce
Orange Almond Cake
Apple Cobbler

There will also be a silent auction to raise money for our Aileen Bardon Scholarship Fund...

Extra Fabric...Lets auction it !
Unwanted trim...Lets auction it !
Bake too much...Lets auction it !
Too many tinker projects laying around...Lets auction those too!

Anything in good shape that needs a new home?
Bring it to Luck of Hero's and we'll find a home for it!

For questions and donations, please contact our auction hostess, Lady Elizabeth!
Auction Hostess : Elizabeth deHolecombe
(email): sparklingeyes1974@yahoo.com

Site Directions:
From I-25, Go west at the Prospect road
exit. Continue west then turn left on Shields St.
Turn right on Drake road heading west. The site will
be on the left hand side of the road. SCA signs will
be up to help assist you.

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40th year celebration

Kingdom of An Tir
May 5 through May 15, 2006

Come ye one and all to a 40th Year Celebration of the Society for Creative Anachronism in the great Kingdom of An Tir! This glorious revel will take place in Randle, Washington from May 5 through May 15, 2006, sponsored by the Shire of Fire Mountain Keep and the Barony of Glymm Mere.

The 300 acre site is surrounded by the Cowlitz River, a forest, stunning mountain views, and is five miles from the nearest neighbor. Planned activities include equestrian games, falconry, competitions in archery, arts and sciences and rapier, tournaments, woods battles, tavern, pied piper diversions, a vibrant merchants' row, and much more.

Mundane needs can be met in the nearby towns. See this website for local amenities. Please note: the site fee is split into two parts, an event fee and a camping fee. For your convenience and a faster trip thru the gate, the camping portion and any applicable merchant fees can be pre-paid via mail or paid online. Both merchants and populace must be pre-registered by April 15, 2006. Participants who register after April 15, 2006 will still have the option to pay online, but we will not accept checks if postmarked after April 15, 2006 nor will we accept checks at the gate.

Gentles wishing to offer assistance or to schedule activities may contact the appropriate members of the autocrat team through the website. Although this is technically a "branch" event, many of the officers of An Tir and members of the populace throughout the Kingdom are dedicating themselves to making this one of the most spectacular and memorable experiences since the Kingdom of An Tir hosted the 30th Year Celebration! Join us, won't you? We'll see YOU at the event!

See the web site for full details: http://www.40yearcelebration.com

Crossroads VII

Crow Valley Campground
May 26th - 29th, 2006

Site Opens 2:00 PM Friday Site Close noon Monday
Event Open 9:00 AM Saturday Event Close 6:00 Pm Sunday

Site Fees (Kids are 5yrs to 12yrs, Kids under 5 are Free)
Site only: Adults $15, Kids $7
Feast: Adults $8, Kids $4
Meal Plan: Adults $16, Kids $8
Day Fee: $5
Site and day fee are subject to non-member fee of $3. There is no family cap.

Menus
Feast: Kabobs and Couscous
Meal plan: Includes 2 Breakfast and 2 Lunch and may include sausage, bacon, eggs, donuts, biscuits, and finger foods for lunch. If you would like Scotch Eggs you will have to come to Highland Games!!! Meal plan deadline is pre-pay only and cut off date is May 12th.

Please join us for a full weekend of fun and frivolity! There is fighting, fencing, archery, arts & sciences, bardic, equestrian demos, a horse race, children champion tourneys, kids activities and of course, shopping! There will be much more info in the next article!

We are still looking for volunteers!! We need prizes, site tokens, and general help!!

Autocrat: Lady Stasia, Christy Korin, 10793 W 67th Place, Arvada, CO 80004-1405, H-303-424-5577, C-303-946-4476, Flamingdoginn@yahoo.com.

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